

Who We Are

The LMI Team works to provide its customers with accurate, timely, and usable LMI data. We provide information on the labor market of the state, such as employment levels, unemployment levels, wage and earnings data, labor supply and demand, employment projections, real-time labor market information, and much more.

Our Team

The Labor Market Information Team or LMI Team is a part of the Office of Workforce Information and Performance (OWIP), under the Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, and is comprised of a team of professionals that come from a variety of backgrounds – policy, statistics, finance, budget, economics, research, and business – bringing a multidimensional perspective to our LMI research and work. We stay up to date with research tools through continuous professional development.

Our mission is to collect, analyze, and produce labor market and workforce information as a service to businesses, job seekers, students, workforce and economic development programs and their community of service providers in Maryland. Our primary function is to make workforce and economic data analyses easily accessible for informed decision-making, from individual choices to workforce and economic policy directions.

What We Do

Not only do we issue the monthly jobs report, the LMI Team's foundation is centered on several guiding principles. We strive to partner with the workforce and economic development community. The team develops and deploys new information solution tools and systems. We provide products and services that are customer and demand driven. Our goal is to be known as an important and reliable source for information; that supports workforce development goals and outcomes. Some examples of what we do include:

Annual Reports & Briefs

- Maryland's Economic and Labor Market Analysis
- The Monthly Labor Review

Training

- LMI 101: Data Resources – Overview of Static and Interactive Resources
- LMI 201: How and where to use Data Resources

Quick Reference or Fact sheets

- Labor Market Cheat Sheet
- Program Information Sheets
- Maryland Hot Jobs
- Commuting Patterns
- Workforce Region Fact Sheets

What We Provide

The LMI Team can provide detailed research on a variety of LMI topics. We provide customized data extracts as well as tables and graphs of LMI data. The following is a list of data we can provide:

Current Employment Statistics (CES)

- Monthly industry-level employment data by where the individual works

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

- Monthly release on employment, unemployment, and labor force by residency

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)

- Quarterly release on employment, establishments and wages by industry

Occupational Employment Statistics (OES)

- An estimate on employment and wages by occupation

Real Time LMI

- An aggregation of online job postings